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PAGEANT

Planned For Catholic Federation Greatest Ever Seen Here.

Religious and Historic Scenes Will Be Shown on Many Floats.

Largely Attended and Enthusiastic Meeting Hears Official Reports.

COMMITTEES ARE ANNOUNCED

The greatest religious-historical pageant ever attempted in this section of the country is now being constructed in Louisville, and when completed will form one of the features of the American Federation of Catholic Societies national convention to be held here during the week beginning Sunday, August 18. This pageant will show in artistic magnificence and historical accuracy scenes both religious and patriotic from the discovery of this country down to the present day. From present indications there will be at least thirty floats in the monster parade which will take place on Sunday afternoon, August 18. The construction of big floats is now under way in different parts of the city, and forces of designers, artists, carpenters, modelers and others have been working under the direction of Col. John H. Whalen, Chairman of the Parade Committee. Aldermen Barney Campbell and Architect Walter Hillerich, who have had experience with spectacular parades.

The Catholic Women's Club was thronged with representative men and women at the regular meeting of the local Catholic Federation presided over by Dr. Peter S. Ganz. There was much applause when announcement was made that representatives were present from St. Charles Borromeo church and that the parish would place a float in the parade. About fifteen parishes have thus far reported that they will be represented in the parade with floats, and these augmented by those of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, Catholic Knights of America, Young Men's Institute, Richmond Ladies' Auxiliary, Knights of Columbus, Knights of St. John, Columbia Athletic Club, Catholic Order of Foresters and other societies will bring the number up to between thirty and forty.

Eugene J. Cooney, Chairman of the Convention Committee, reported that 3,000 invitations had been issued and that there would be over 500 delegates in attendance at the convention, and that with the editors and visitors the number the convention would attract to Louisville would be away up in the thousands. He also stated that 3,000 copies of the souvenir book, now in the hands of the printer, would be issued and would be found a work of extraordinary merit. A communication was received from National President Edward Peeney, which included the call for the convention. The programme, though not yet completed, has among the list who will deliver addresses at the public meetings and before the convention the names of Archbishop Messmer, Bishop McFall, Gov. McCreary, Mayor Head, Rev. J. H. Dorsey, Lieut. Gov. McDermott and the distinguished Catholic editors, Rev. John J. Burke and Rev. Paul Chew. John Doyle created much enthusiasm when he announced the part the Knights of Columbus would play, as did also Thomas Keenan and Magistrate P. T. Sullivan, representing the A. O. H., the latter stating that he was going to Chicago to invite their national convention to come here in a body. Col. Joe McGinn wanted all to know that the Catholic Knights and Uniform Rank would make as good a showing as any, and several others made like statements.

The annual convention of the Catholic Press Association will convene here on August 16 and 17, the date having been advanced one week. This will be attended by nearly all the Catholic editors and publishers of the country. Attention of the Federation was called to the part taken by certain Federal officials in the attempt to organize the Guardians of Liberty in this city, following which the matter was referred to a special committee, which should report at the next meeting, when the case will be laid before the Government authorities at Washington.

Before adjourning, President Ganz announced the names of those constituting the twenty committees that will serve until after the great convention adjourns.

HELD AMERICAN FLAG.

Madame Key Blount, the daughter of Francis Scott Key, author of the "Star Spangled Banner," was a convert of the church and lived in Paris and Rome. During the last French rebellion when Archbishop Darboy, of Paris, and several priests were shot and killed by the Communists and when priests and nuns were imprisoned and killed, Madame Key Blount, holding aloft the American flag, led the Sisters of the Sacred Heart through the streets of Paris, defying the cutthroats, to a place of

safety outside of the city. Her confidence in the protection of the "Star Spangled Banner" as well as her bravery, news of which was sent to this country, excited the admiration of everyone. Her daughter was a member of the sisterhood and her only son was a Lieutenant in the Carlist army of Spain.

PATRIOTISM.

Thoughts Catholics Expressed For Independence Day.

Cardinal Gibbons: "By the grace of Jesus Christ I am a Christian; by the Providence of God I am an American citizen." Count Onahan: "How do I define the term American? It stands in my mind for liberty, order, education and opportunities."

Orrestes Brownson: "Every Catholic should love America, rejoice in her prosperity, labor for her true interests and pray for her conversion." Judge Morgan J. O'Brien: "The same care and skill should be exhibited by men who love their country as is shown by the potter in moulding clay, or by the sculptor in bringing from a block of marble a form of symmetry and beauty."

Fathers of the Third Plenary Council of Baltimore: "We believe that our country's heroes were the instruments of the God of Nations in establishing this home of freedom; to both the Almighty and to his instruments in the work we look with grateful reverence." Archbishop Ireland: "Flag of the United States, flag of my country! I offer to thee the tribute of most sincere allegiance and most warm affection. My heart, my life are thine. I am proud of thee for the glories that thou dost ensure. I pray the God of nations to bless and guard America."

George Washington to the American Catholics: "I presume that your fellow-citizens will not forget the patriotic part which you played in the accomplishment of their Revolution, and the establishment of their Government, or the important assistance which they received from a nation in which the Roman Catholic faith is professed." Archbishop J. L. Spalding: "The characteristics of a true American are good will, sympathy with the helpless and oppressed, intelligence, uprightness, energy, courage and industry; and if we love our country and desire to make its institutions permanent, we must labor to cultivate these virtues in ourselves and in those whom we are able to influence. Patriotism, like charity, begins at home."

OLD FACES.

Again Increase Attendance at Meeting of Division 1, A. O. H.

Old and welcome faces again increased the attendance and interest at the meeting Tuesday night of Division 1, A. O. H., when a cordial greeting was given Deputy Jailer Peter Cusick, Edward Clancy and William Cushman. President Martin Cusick occupied the chair and obligated Thomas P. Osborne and kept the business moving. Secretary Tompkins read a letter from the Rev. Father P. Ambrose, O. S. B., at Corbin, acknowledging the contribution of Division 1 for his missions. Through Chairman James P. Barry the Auditing Committee reported the receipts and expenditures for the past six months. The books were found correct and well kept, and notwithstanding the unusually large amounts appropriated for death and sick benefits and charitable purposes the treasury still remains in a healthy condition. Patrick Stone and Edward Cradick, on the sick list for the past month, were reported near complete recovery.

Senator Mark Ryan, Thomas Keenan, County President Dolan and others appealed to the members to do their part toward making a proper showing in the Catholic Federation parade next month, when the Ancient Order will follow a handsome float now being prepared. Suggestions made that Division 1 arrange a series of entertainments for its members during the fall and winter months were taken under advisement and will be further considered at the next meeting.

TRINITY'S ANNUAL OUTING.

Among the notable amusement events of the present year will be the annual outing and picnic of Trinity Council, Y. M. C. I., which takes place next Wednesday at Fern Grove. Many athletic games are scheduled, including some with comic features, and an event of interest will be the boat race, with a handsome trophy for the winner and a second prize. All of the boats of the Ferry Company have been secured, and on all there will be music and dancing as well as on the grounds. Refreshments of all kinds will be in abundance, and a day for which Trinity has the reputation is assured by the Chairman, A. E. Schneider, who looks for a record-breaking attendance. Boats will leave the foot of First street at 8:30 o'clock in the morning and 1:30 in the afternoon. Those who go will enjoy a really happy outing.

CHARITIES.

Programme For National Conference at Washington in September.

Sessions Will Be Held at the Catholic University of America.

All Catholic Charity Organizations Are Invited to Send Delegates.

MANY DISTINGUISHED SPEAKERS

The National Conference of Catholic Charities has just made announcement of the papers and speakers in the general meetings which will be attended by all delegates to the conference, which will be held September 22 to 25 at the Catholic University of America at Washington, D. C. The conference sermon at the solemn opening mass will be preached by the Right Rev. Bishop Canavin, of Pittsburgh.

At the first general session on Sunday evening, September 22, Right Rev. Thomas J. Shahan, rector of the Catholic University at Washington, will deliver the President's address, in which he will dwell upon the church in charity. Thomas M. Mulry, of New York City, President of the Particular Council of the St. Vincent de Paul Society, will have for his subject "The Government in Charity," and F. F. Kenkel, of St. Louis, editor of Social Justice, and Lawrence F. Plisk, President of the Hospital for Poor Consumptives and White Haven Sanatorium Association, organizer and ex-Medical Director of the Henry Phipps Institute for the study, treatment and prevention of tuberculosis, Philadelphia; "The Poor as Victims of Their Moral and Social Environment," Miss Katherine T. Williams, of Milwaukee, member of the State Board of Charities of Wisconsin; "The Problem of the Old and Social Rights of the Poor," James F. Kennedy, President of the Particular Council of the St. Vincent de Paul Society, Chicago.

At the third general meeting of the conference the following papers will be presented: "Co-operation Among Catholic Charities," Miss Adelaide M. Walsh, Chicago; "Co-operation Among All Charities," Dr. James C. Hagerty, professor of economics and sociology in the Ohio State University, Columbus; "Co-operation Between the Parochial School and Relief Agencies," Rev. Joseph F. Smith, Superintendent of Catholic schools of the archdiocese of New York; "Our Need of a Directory of Catholic Charities," by the Secretary of the conference. The programmes of the different sections will be made known later.

In view of the many inquiries concerning the National Conference of Catholic Charities, the Secretary has issued the announcement that all Catholics who are in any manner interested in Catholic charities will be welcomed to the conference and will be entitled to take full part in meetings and discussions. It is not necessary therefore that one be delegated by a Catholic charity organization in order to have the right to attend the conference.

All Catholic charity organizations are invited to send delegates, but it is not necessary for them to present credentials of any kind. As it is the desire of the Executive Committee to promote personal acquaintanceship among leaders in Catholic charities in the United States, the largest possible attendance of those interested in Catholic charities is urged. Membership is not limited by the payment of dues. However, a contribution of \$3 entitles one to be listed as a paying member of the conference for two years and to receive a bound copy of the proceedings without further cost. A contribution of \$10 entitles one to be enrolled among the sustaining members of the conference and to receive a second copy of the report without further cost upon request. Information concerning all features of the conference will be sent to those who apply to the Secretary, National Conference of Catholic Charities, Catholic University, Washington, D. C.

LITTLE GIRL HURT.

Elizabeth Heffernan, the ten-year-old daughter of Robert E. Heffernan, of 2715 West Chestnut street, received painful though not serious injuries Tuesday afternoon when, while riding a bicycle, she collided with a street car which had stopped at Twenty-eighth and Madison streets. She was taken to her home, where she received medical attention.

RETURNED TO KENTUCKY.

Prof. James Richter, for twenty years Principal at Gethsemani College, but since that noted institution was destroyed by fire connected with the Homeless Child institution at Staten Island, N. Y., has resigned

his position there and returned to Kentucky, where he has accepted a position with the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company at Ninth and Broadway. Prof. Richter has a host of friends in this city and State who are glad to have him back in Kentucky. His record as an educator was of the highest order, and throughout the country many of his former pupils have attained positions of prominence.

DEMOCRATIC

Ticket Named After Long and Hard Fought Contest For Nomination.

Nominee Marshall Thought by Many to Be Stronger Than Wilson.

Chance for Success Lies in Reputation of Bryan, the Self-Advertiser.

ARE SORE ON THE NEBRASKAN

The action of the National Democratic convention at Baltimore in selecting Gov. Woodrow Wilson, of New Jersey, as the nominee for President, and Gov. Thomas R. Marshall, of Indiana, as choice for Vice President, now clears the field for political action between the two great parties, as no one believes anything will come of the proposed Progressive party of Roosevelt, all interest in the Rough Rider has died out, the general public being sick and tired of his spectacular efforts for notoriety, and between he and Taft the conservative public would give the unqualified support to the present Chief Executive.

Gov. Wilson, the Democratic nominee, is the son of Dr. Joseph Wilson, a Presbyterian minister, and the grandson of Judge James Wilson, an Irishman of Scotch descent, who migrated from County Down to Philadelphia in 1807. In 1902 the Democratic nominee was elected President of Princeton University and served at its head until September, 1911, when he resigned, after being nominated for Governor by the New Jersey Democratic convention. Gov. Thomas R. Marshall, his running mate, has made a reputation for himself as a statesman and moral teacher, and a great many people believe it would have been a stronger ticket with the positions reversed, as Gov. Marshall's course in public life has been more open than the New Jersey Executive's. The people of Kentucky especially would have been more than glad to give their hearty support to their Hoosier neighbor as head of the Democratic ticket.

The only discordant feature of the convention, and which at this writing will be a great drawback to the strength of the ticket, is the prominence given to William Jennings Bryan, who has lost caste with the rank and file of Democracy, and a better taste would have been left in the mouths of the voters if this self-explorer had been cast out of the convention by the nape of the neck and not left to abuse the whole State of New York because of his dislike for two or three moneyed men, who, in all probability, earned their millions more than the Chattanooga lecturer and writer for newspaper syndicates at \$1,000 per day during the Republican and Democratic campaigns. Even the South, which was always loyal to Bryan, has become disgusted with his dictatorial tactics and turned its back on him, many of the leaders believing that a better step toward harmony would have been the dropping of Bryan.

No one at this stage can predict the success or defeat of the Democratic ticket, as the effect of Bryan's abuse of New York will have to be considered; whether the Empire State leaders will come in line, and above all, the Democrats from all sections will want to know if Bryan is to be the dominant figure in this campaign, as claimed by the Evening Post and other Republican papers. If Bryan is not repudiated, and that done quickly, by Wilson and his managers then the Democratic ticket is in for a hard campaign, otherwise it would be easy sailing.

SCOTT AND MILES.

When that grim old warrior Gen. Winfield Scott led the American invading army to victory in Mexico, he put the following in his proclamation: "We are friends of the peaceful inhabitants of the country we occupy, and the friends of your holy religion, its hierarchy, its priesthood. The same church is found in all parts of our country, crowded with devout Catholics and respected by our Government, laws and people." Now Gen. Miles, the aged and fidgety champion of the new "Guardians" of American liberty, professes to be afraid of the same church and the same people the valiant Scott eulogized over half a century ago.

WICHITA DIOCESE.

There are in the diocese of Wichita ninety-two priests, sixty-five churches with resident priests, thirty-five missions with churches, three academies, thirty-five parishes with schools and about 32,000 Catholics. There were ten priests when the present Bishop was appointed.

DODGES.

President Cooney Comments on Gen. Miles' Recent Letter.

Head of Catholic Press Association Asked Pointed Questions.

Pity For the Man Now Led by Band of Professional Bigots.

RIGHTS OF AMERICAN CITIZENS

Recently Edward J. Cooney, President of the Catholic Press Association, addressed a letter to Gen. Nelson A. Miles, in which he questioned the objects of the Guardians of Liberty and the General's connection therewith. Gen. Miles answered President Cooney's letter by dodging the issue and not answering it, on which the latter comments as follows:

Gen. Miles is rather peevish. Also he dodges the issue. He does not answer Mr. Cooney's letter, but prefers to indulge in a lot of rhetoric and platitudes about the principles of our constitution and the institutions of our country. What Mr. Miles—Gen. Miles rather—was asked, was this: Did he or did he not approve of the principles of the Guardians of Liberty? Did he or did he not endorse the attacks upon the Catholic church, Catholic dignitaries and Catholics generally, made by the leaders of the Guardians of Liberty, such as Rev. Augustus Barnett, of Philadelphia, or former Congressman Haines, of New York, or Tom Watson, of Georgia? Does Gen. Miles believe in stirring up the embers of religious animosity, religious prejudice and factional strife? Does he believe that Catholics are not loyal citizens of this country? Does he share the opinion of Tom Watson that the presence of the Catholic church are plotting the downfall of the republic and planning a Papal monarchy? Does he seriously entertain the belief that the Knights of Columbus are drilling nightly and secretly against the peace and dignity of the nation? Does he believe that the Catholic church schools do not produce good citizens? Does he think that because the public schools teach the history and moral teaching they have a monopoly of what is good in the teaching world?

Again, does Gen. Miles believe that the Catholic pioneers, discoverers and missionaries, who were in this country long before the first man that bore the name of Miles ever expatriated himself from his native land, were traitors and plotters? Does he believe that the Catholic soldiers who followed Gen. Lafayette and Rochambeau and Kosciuszko for American liberty and independence were enemies of American liberty and independence? Does Gen. Miles seriously hold the opinion that the Catholic soldiers who fought and died in the days of '61, that this country might be free, were not fighting for the cause of Americanism, of American principles and the American constitution? Does Gen. Miles think that the noble and heroic women in the orphan asylums, infant asylums and hospitals of this great nation, the women who nursed the soldiers during the civil war, who were mothers to them, advised and consoled them, are not a credit to the American republic that produced them and to the church that gave them to the nation? Has Gen. Miles ever heard of that post of the Grand Army of the Republic at the University of Notre Dame, entirely composed of Catholic priests? Has he ever heard the story of the heroism, self-sacrifice and privations of the nuns who followed the armies of the Union in the critical days of the civil war? Does Gen. Miles believe that Cardinal Gibbons, for instance, is not a loyal citizen of this country? Does he think that Archbishop Ireland is a traitor? Does he seriously entertain the belief that such men as Chief Justice White, of the United States Supreme Court; Senator O'Gorman, Justices Dowling, Delaney and Cuban, of the New York courts; former Attorney General Bonaparte, United States Minister Maurice Francis Egan, are not good Americans? What, then, is Gen. Miles talking about?

Why does he refer in his letter to Mr. Cooney to the "dictation of your church?" What does he mean when he asks of Mr. Cooney if "you or any of your associates believe in openly or secretly manipulating, controlling and dictating the political action of any portion of our citizens, in order that in time our republic may become subject to and subservient to your church?" Who is Gen. Miles that he should ask such ridiculous questions? Is it not the right of every American citizen to try with all legitimate means to control, if he can, the political action of any portion of "our citizens"? Is not Col. Roosevelt endeavoring to do that very thing at the present time? Is not President Taft? Is not Gov. Wilson? Is not Speaker Champ Clark and Gov. Harmon and Congressman Underwood and Senator LaFollette and others?

Who ever tried to make the affairs of State subordinate to the dictation of "your church?" Does Gen. Miles know what he is talking about or is he in his dotage? The man is to be pitied who, after a brilliant career, full of patriotic service to his country, should allow himself to be led by the nose by a small group of professional bigots, and should so end his life in fighting his fellow-citizens, his brothers of years gone by, his admirers and supporters of yesterday. Poor old Gen. Miles!

GOING SOME.

Mackin Council Lets Contracts to Paint Home.

Mackin Council, Y. M. I. was going some Monday night and the many present took much interest in the proceedings. After President Adams had obligated two more members Vincent B. Smith and Secretary William A. Link reported for the Catholic Federation. Rev. Father Martin Weidekamp, O. M. C., who was present, in an address urging the Y. M. I. to make a splendid showing in the Federation parade, awoke a spirit that leaves no doubt but that the float and number of men in line will equal that of any of our local societies. Dr. J. A. Casper assured the members that the sunset excursion on Saturday evening would in every way eclipse any ever given by Mackin Social Club. Contracts were let for the painting of the club house and other improvements that will give it the appearance of being entirely new. An hour was given to a smoker, when several lively short talks were heard. The Entertainment Committee, through A. C. Link and L. S. Cuniff, announced that on July 2 there would be a social session and smoker with an abundance of refreshments of all kinds and a good time for the members.

By the increase in membership last week Mackin will be represented by six delegates at the coming Grand Council, which meets at Owensboro. Mackin is the first council to have this distinction and breaks all records in the history of the Y. M. I., having the largest membership ever attained by any council.

HALIFAX

Hibernians Receive Assistance From Brethren Here.

President Hugh Hourigan resumed his place Monday night at a well attended meeting of Division 3, A. O. H., when one application was filed and three candidates were obligated. Following the reading of a communication from Halifax, N. S., the division voted an appropriation to assist their Halifax brethren, who are erecting a home for the Hibernians of that city that will be known as Emmet Hall. Secretary Thomas Stevens reported the proceedings of the last County Board meeting, and stated that the annual picnic had proved a most gratifying success. Magistrate P. T. Sullivan spoke on the coming conventions of the order, saying he would attend the meeting of the national body at Chicago. Delegate John Hession, in reporting the plans and work of the Catholic Federation, made an earnest appeal and urged that the Hibernians make a creditable showing in the parade on August 18. Ex-County President Walsh was present and delivered an interesting and instructive address on the national convention and the proposed amendments to the constitution of the order. Several other members were called upon and delivered short talks, a feature that is making the meetings of Division 3 quite interesting.

GROWTH OF CHURCH.

During the Pontificate of Pius X. forty-six new dioceses have been erected in the Christian world, eleven of the United States. These are Fall River, Mass., and Great Falls, Mont., erected in 1904; Superior, Wis., and Oklahoma City, erected in 1905; Rockford, Ill., erected in 1908; Crookston, Minn., and Bismark, N. D., erected in 1909; Toledo, Ohio, erected in 1910; Des Moines, Iowa, erected in 1911, and Corpus Christi, Texas, and Kearney, Neb., erected in 1912. During the same period fifteen archdioceses have been erected throughout the world, and twenty-seven vicariates apostolic.

RECEIVED IN AUDIENCE.

Pope Pius X. received in private audience on Friday the Right Rev. Bishop Farrell, of the Cleveland diocese. The American prelate spent some time with the Holy Father and appeared pleased with his reception. With their usual disregard for truth, the secular press correspondents tell that they discussed both the religious and political situation in the United States, especially in the Presidential campaign. Reporters are not present and the statements made are both ridiculous and without any foundation whatever.

ELECT "DAD" PRICE.

William H. Price, for nineteen years Secretary to the Louisville Chief of Police and widely known and popular, was last Saturday elected Secretary of the Louisville Parental Home and School Commission. The commission will have charge of building the home for dependent and delinquent children that come under the supervision of the Jefferson County Juvenile Court. Secretary Price was recommended by J. Lithgow Smith, Dr. Leo Bloch and Elizabeth Walsh, who are commended for their selection. The Treasurer has not yet been elected.

PROSPERITY.

Causes Marked Decrease in the Exodus of People From Ireland.

America Gets Nearly All Those Who Are Leaving Now.

Never Before Was There Such Demand and Well Paid Labor.

CANADIAN BOOMERS WITHDRAW

Dublin correspondents note that hopeful evidence of the changing conditions in Ireland is returned in the report of the Registrar General of Emigration which has just been issued. This shows that in the five months ended May 31, 14,070 persons left Ireland, this being a decrease of 2,507 compared with the corresponding period last year. The hopeful feature of this report is that it shows a return to the steady decline in emigration figures which was a feature of the reports until 1909. In 1910 they jumped up again, but this was due to special conditions, and is not likely to be repeated. As usual the United States has absorbed most of Ireland's loss. Out of the total, 10,085 persons went to America, 2,710 to Canada, fifty-three to South Africa, 328 to Australia, ninety to New Zealand, 795 to Great Britain, and nine to other countries.

Even more significant than the actual decline in the emigration figures is the attitude taken by the Canadian Government agents who are employed to attract laborers to the new lands in the West by every means in their power. An army of these boomers is spread all over the United Kingdom, but for the last year or two they have been paying less attention to Ireland, and now they frankly admit that as far as Ireland is concerned they can't earn their salaries, and they are gradually withdrawing from the Irish field and devoting themselves to England and Scotland, where the rush of emigrants today is something like that which almost depopulated Ireland twenty-five years ago. These agents, who are shrewd observers, declare that the reason for the falling off in emigration is the growing prosperity of Ireland, which makes it possible for the people to earn a living at home. In addition to this, Ireland, by European standards—is really underpopulated at present, and there is practically no unemployment. Farmers complain that agricultural labor never has been so scarce and so dear, and to the industrial towns of the North it has actually been found necessary to import workmen from England and Scotland.

Another interesting feature of the present emigration is the fact that by far the greater proportion of it is drawn from the North. The "poverty stricken" South and West are finding work at home for their own people. It is only fair to say, however, that the Northern emigrants are a different class from those who used to go from the South and West. In the old days the Irishmen who left the old land were almost all agricultural laborers, who went out in the hope of earning higher wages in the new countries, but with little immediate prospects of being anything but wage earners. The most of the Northern emigrants today, including practically all those who go to Canada, are the sons of substantial farmers, trades people and professional men, who go out with a little capital to take up land of their own. There is also a fair number who have been attracted by the tales of big crops and high prices, and who have sold their Irish holdings to try their luck under better conditions.

Some figures of the trade of Belfast in 1911 will show why the emigration of mechanics and laboring men is falling off. During that year the wages of 10,678 employees in the ship yards—Harlands & Wolff and two big yards—Clark & Wolf and Workman & Clark—employ over 22,000 men between them, and their weekly pay roll is \$175,194. One company making rope and twine employs 3,500 persons, and although the raw material last year was scarce and dear while the linen trade, which is Belfast's staple industry, had a boom year. It is stated that the percentage of unemployment in Belfast is the lowest in the United Kingdom, and it may be added that in the skilled trades unemployment is practically nonexistent.

GRANTS FIRST PARDON.

Acting Gov. McDermott has released from the Frankfort penitentiary J. W. Mulligan, who was convicted in this city and sentenced for five years for housebreaking. The unfortunate man had been confined for more than a year, and therefore the Government thought executive clemency should be shown, the minimum term having been served.

ELECTRIC FIRE ENGINE.

The first electrically driven steam fire engine in the United States has been added to the equipment of the New York fire department.

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PUBLIC TIED.

The American public is certainly entitled to sympathy in its long suffering from the harangues and self-boasting tactics of those two worthies—Roosevelt and Bryan.

POSTERS RIGHT SCIENCE.

That the Catholic church, so often represented by her enemies as opposed to science and advancement, has always on the contrary, fostered education to the utmost of her resources, is a fact familiar to anybody who reads. Her progress throughout the world has been the measure also of civilization's progress. Wherever she has brought the light of the gospel there has followed as a natural consequence the cultivation of those twin graces of civilization, learning and refinement.

WOMEN AND THE BALLOT.

Locally at least, and generally speaking, says the Sacramento Catholic Herald, the enfranchised sex in California does not appear to hold in high practical appreciation its newly acquired right to vote. At the two elections held since the women of the State were clothed with the privilege of taking a hand in the selection of public officials, they have manifested no great eagerness to exercise that prerogative. Though appealed to by the press which advocated and worked for the extension of the ballot to their sex, the women have evinced a striking lack of interest in the matter. Despite the earnest propaganda of members of their own sex in behalf of active participation in political affairs, the vast majority of the women of the State have, apparently, neither the taste nor the desire to shine in that field of energy. At any rate, a remarkably small percentage of their number have availed themselves of their "rights" at the polls. And it is safe to predict the same will be said of Kentucky women.

COLLEGES WITHOUT RELIGION.

The Rev. Dr. Francis E. Clark, founder of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, makes out a striking contrast between our Catholic and non-Catholic educational female colleges, pointing out that in the latter the mannish manners of the modern college girls are destroying the ideal type of womanhood. Catholic fathers and mothers who are about to send their daughters to colleges or academies should give heed to his words: "The lack of spiritual training received by the girl graduate of modern times has a tendency toward the destruction of the best traditions of womanhood. I believe that women should be physically perfect and that sound bodies should be developed with sound minds. No one can minimize the importance of careful training along these lines, but infinitely more important is the growth of the same spiritual strength that our grandmothers and mothers gave to the upbuilding of civilization. Mannish manners, uncouth and often almost vulgar speech, seem to have become a characteristic of the modern college girl. "The modern education of women is rapidly working toward the elimination of the gentle, spiritual and altogether lovable type of womanhood that has ennobled manhood and been the greatest of all civilizing factors in the history of the world. Physical and intellectual development are necessary, but when both become so important in the education of women that all other womanly attainments are forgotten we may well be alarmed for the future of our homes and institutions. The slang of the college girl of today and her affectation of mannish manners of speech and dress are abominable."

EDUCATIONAL.

The Catholic Educational Association in session at Pittsburgh last week adopted many forceful resolutions, notably the following, which all right-minded people will approve: "Whereas taxation for professedly educational purposes is steadily increasing, due to the persistent tendency of the modern State to transgress its proper sphere; be it resolved, that though the State has clear and indisputable rights in respect of education, it should limit its activities to the province defined for it by reason and justice, thus reverencing and protecting the rights of child and parent. "We reiterate that true education

consists in the training of the mental faculties and the development of Christian character and not merely in the imparting of knowledge or information.

"In this age, with its alarming disrespect for the constituted authority of the home and of the State, we wish to emphasize the fundamental and time-honored teaching of our church, that all authority comes from God; that the custodians of authority are the representatives of God and as such must be given that respect and reverence which the exalted nature of their office demands."

Thomas E. Watson, of Georgia, indicted for sending obscene literature through the mails, did not attend the Baltimore convention. Watson telegraphed National Committeeman Clark Howell that he had postponed his trip. The Georgia delegation was far from downhearted over his absence.

Any man who stands for Bryanism deserves overwhelming defeat. And the same goes for any man who stands for Rooseveltism. Two more unscrupulous, selfish, dangerous and unprincipled men politically this country has never known.

The automobile continues its awful work. Two more deaths are recorded this week, the victims being run down by machines that were going very slow. Very strange, isn't it, that accidents never happen when autos are exceeding the speed limit.

The work of the Catholic educators at Pittsburgh last week demonstrated that the church is very much alive to the needs of the times.

No matter what people think of the ticket named at Baltimore, they will concede that the platform is all right.

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The ticket is not altogether to our liking, but who ever got all they wanted?

RECENT DEATHS.

Adam J. Goebel, for thirty-eight years with J. Bacon & Sons, died Sunday morning at his home, 902 East Gray street, after an illness of only four days. Deceased was connected with a number of societies and had a wide circle of friends who mourn his death. The funeral services were held Tuesday morning at St. Martin's church, with interment in St. Michael's cemetery.

Sunday afternoon Rev. Patrick Walsh conducted solemn funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Mary Deemer, an aged and devout member of the Sacred Heart church. The deceased was born in France, but had been a resident of Louisville since childhood. Mrs. Deemer leaves a son and daughter, Thomas Deemer and Miss Sarah Deemer, of this city, and two sons who are residents of St. Louis.

The funeral of William Dolan, who died Sunday night at the residence of his sister, Mrs. John Pierce, 408 East Main street, took place Tuesday morning from St. Michael's church. Besides his sister he leaves one brother, Michael Dolan, a former Captain in the fire department. The deceased was born in this city forty-one years ago, and preceding his death was associated with John Hendricks at Clay and Market streets.

Friends and relatives sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. John H. Dacher, 1160 Ellison avenue, who on Sunday suffered the loss of their five-year-old son Walter. Saturday a splinter entered his foot, resulting in lockjaw and death despite everything that could be done to save his life. The little fellow was a nephew of Magistrate Frank Dacher. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at St. Vincent de Paul's church.

Fred Michel, thirty years old and a widely known resident of New Albany, died Sunday evening at the residence of his grandmother, Mrs. Fred Wunderlich, 619 East Spring street, leaving two sisters, Mrs. Edward Beck and Miss Ida Michel. For a number of years past he was connected with the late Fred Wunderlich in the wholesale liquor business. The funeral took place from St. Mary's church, of which deceased had been a member since boyhood.

CLEANS COFFEE STAINS.

To clean coffee stained linen soak in cold water, to which has been added a little borax. All coffee, chocolate, tea and fruit stains will disappear if boiling water be poured over and through the spot before the linen is washed. It is best to do this while the stain is fresh and damp.

SOCIETY.

Mrs. W. O. Head has been enjoying a pleasant sojourn at Olympian Springs.

James H. Monaghan, of Central City, was a visitor here the first of the week.

Mrs. Edward Keating, South Louisville, has been enjoying a ten days' visit at Tampa, Fla.

Mrs. J. H. Sullivan and daughter Bertha have returned from a visit to her father at Bonnevillie.

Miss May Hussey, of Maryland, was the recent guest of Miss Elizabeth Ansbro, of the Highlands.

Mr. and Mrs. Hulton B. McCann are expected to return today from their Eastern wedding trip.

Mrs. Floyd Burns, of Lexington, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. L. McCloy, on Frankfort avenue.

Misses Marie Heverin and Lena Bowling are home from a week's visit to Mrs. Charles Mahoney at New Haven.

Miss Beatrice Harrell is in Frankfort to spend several weeks with her aunt, Mrs. George Salender.

Mrs. Fred Peake and daughter Dorothy have returned from a visit to Mrs. Charles Mahoney at New Haven.

Louisville people in New York during the past week were Will Gatto, L. H. Harrington and J. F. Schunlich.

John and William Silk left Sunday to spend three weeks visiting friends and relatives at Memphis and other Southern points.

Miss Elizabeth Sweeney has returned from Bloomfield, where she spent ten days at a house party given by Miss Mary McCloskey.

Frank Driscoll, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Driscoll, of Hamilton avenue, who has been away at college, is home for vacation.

Mrs. W. J. Barry and son, Watts Barry, have just returned from Kansas City, where they have been on a visit for the past six weeks.

Miss Margaret Beecher, of Atlanta, has been spending the past week in Jeffersonville, her former home, as the guest of Miss Stella Kehoe.

The Young Men's Social Club entertained Wednesday evening with a select dance at Utopian Hall in honor of the St. Louis Bertrand baseball club.

Mrs. Lena Denhard announced the engagement of her daughter Verona to Austin W. Brennan, of Cincinnati, at the wedding place July 17 at Holy Cross church.

Mrs. W. L. Mapother and daughter, Miss Helen Mapother, will spend the month of August at West Hampton, L. I., Mr. Mapother joining them later in the month.

Michael Donahue and bride, who have been on a honeymoon trip to relatives in the East, will reside at 3163 South Third street, where they have handsome apartments.

Aloysius F. Looser and bride, Miss Elsie Mae Caumissar, married last week at the Cathedral, will reside in the Highlands on the return from their honeymoon trip.

Miss Lillian Godfrey arrived home Monday from Indianapolis, where she spent ten days as the guest of Miss Mamie Sweeney and was entertained at several receptions given in her honor.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kremer, Fehr Kremer, Miss Elizabeth and George Kremer, Jr., arrived home Saturday from Lexington, where they attended the Bayne-Hillmeyer wedding.

Mrs. L. Denhard announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Verona Denhard, to Austin W. Brennan, of Cincinnati. The wedding will take place July 17 at Holy Cross church.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fitzgerald and daughter Winona, of New Albany, went to Marietta last Sunday to spend a week with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Weathers before taking an extensive Northern trip.

William P. McDonogh returned Wednesday evening from the National Democratic convention at Baltimore, where he met his brother, James McDonogh, who was a delegate from New York City.

Mrs. Edward J. McDermott and children are in Frankfort, where they will remain until Gov. McDermott returns to this city. The Lieutenant Governor is the State's Chief Executive during the absence of Gov. McCreary.

William Lantham, 1468 South Shelby street, and Henry Nieman, 702 Camp street, spent the Fourth at their homes entertaining friends and receiving congratulations over the arrival of pretty baby girls, who will be christened tomorrow.

Clarence Hanephin and bride, who was Miss Eselle Quirk, are expected to return today from St. Louis, where they have been spending their honeymoon. They were married on Thursday last week by the Rev. John O'Connor at Holy Name church.

Mr. and Mrs. Manion entertained Friday evening at a surprise party in honor of Miss Lillian Manion. Those present were Messrs. Charles Morris, Francis Davin, Joseph Grant, John Connolly, Robert Davin, John Price, Charles Manion, William Dearing, Leonard Manion, Frank

Grant, John Black, Michael Black; Misses Margaret Reilly, of Lexington; Gertrude Reilly, Mamie Reilly, Nora Hallahan, Carrie Ruff, Lillian Manion, Marie Morris, Gertrude Manion, Loretta Bott, Mary Price, Mary Black, Mary Manion, Cecilia Jordan, Rita Manion and Anna Hallahan.

A party composed of Misses Cornelia Ballard, of Chicago; Cecelia Smith, of Washington county; Katie Rose Dant and Louise Dant and Gertrude Simpson, of this city, left Monday evening for an extended trip to Washington, Atlantic City, New York and other Eastern cities.

J. R. Jones and bride, who was Miss Madeline Lamley, daughter of Mrs. Mary Lamley, 1913 Duncan street, left Sunday for Magee, Ark., where they will make their home. They were married at St. Patrick's on June 24 by Vicar General Cronin, and visited relatives and friends at Frankfort and other points in the State before departing for their Arkansas home.

DEATH A SHOCK.

The death last Friday night of Capt. Thomas F. Coleman, who was run over by an automobile near Glenview, just outside the city, was a shock to his friends, who numbered in the thousands. Capt. Coleman and his two sisters, Misses Nemo and Catherine Coleman, were returning from an evening visit with relatives and were on their way to the interurban car when the awful accident occurred. Tom Coleman was for many years a well known figure on the streets of Louisville, a man of kindly word and generous spirit, on all sides were heard expressions of sorrow and regret over his sudden death. The body was brought to the residence of Mrs. Bannan Coleman, 1412 St. James Court, and on Sunday afternoon the funeral services were held at St. Mary Magdalen's church. Rev. Father William Gausepohl officiated. The funeral was in St. Louis cemetery, the pall-bearers being Richard W. Donigan, Thomas P. Coleman, Walter S. Clark, Henry P. Donigan, H. R. Phillips and Harry Chambers. While many a prayer will ascend for the repose of his soul, universal sympathy is felt for the three bereaved sisters, one of whom is a Ursuline nun at Cincinnati.

TAKES KLAUBER PLACE.

William T. Meehan, for the past fifteen years with the Messrs. Klauber, the Fourth avenue art dealers, who are retiring from business, has decided to continue on his own account the work he has been doing for that firm. Mr. Meehan has established himself at 725 South Floyd street, where he is prepared to receive orders for hanging and arranging pictures, repairing, cleaning and restoring of frames and pictures and home decorative work. His long experience with the Klaubers is a guarantee of efficiency and reliability, and should bring him many patrons in a business that requires a special skill and judgment.

YOUR MEDICAL FEE.

Since scapular medals have been authorized by the church, Rev. Father O'Brien, Vice President of the Catholic Church Extension Society, will send one free to all who send twenty-five cents for a year's subscription to the Child Apostle, a sixteen-page monthly, edited by a priest, that has for its object the building up of the home missionary spirit in the hearts of the children of the country. Attention is called to the advertisement in another column.

FONTAINE FERRY PARK

Next week's vaudeville bill at Fontaine Ferry Park will present a number of entirely new and successful funmaking features, which will increase the local interest in this family amusement resort. Guy Boyer, secured by Manager Bilger to appear with Natiello's band, and acknowledged one of the foremost park singers in the country will appear in the free concerts, and sing twice daily. He has a wide repertoire of songs and will feature some of the latest song hits.

POISONED BY MISTAKE.

Anna McGill, of this city, had a narrow escape from death Tuesday night at Indianapolis, where she has been visiting. Mistaking six tablets containing poison for headache tablets, she swallowed them and a short time later was found in a critical condition by her room-mate, Mrs. Mary Thomas. Two physicians were summoned and worked with her for an hour, before she was pronounced out of danger.

WITH THE SICK.

Patrolman James Hourigan, of the First district; P. A. Crites, of the Fourth; John Murphy, of the Seventh; Mike Donahue, of the traffic squad, and J. W. Kiley, who were off duty last week because of illness, are all recovering and will soon be at their posts. In the fire department Henry O'Neill, John Galway and Con Savage have been off on sick leave, but fortunately their illness was not of serious nature.

VICTIM OF CANCER.

Following a long illness of cancer, David J. O'Neill, aged forty-two years, died Saturday evening at his home, 316 East Court avenue, Jeffersonville. He was formerly a member of the fire department, and the fire bells were tolled following the announcement of his death. The deceased was a native of Jeffersonville, and is survived by his mother, Mrs. Margaret O'Neill; his widow, one son and one daughter. His funeral took place Tuesday morning from St. Augustine's church, when Rev. Father O'Connell celebrated the solemn requiem mass.

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The council at Albany, Ore., will initiate a class of twenty-five this month.

The council just installed at Beeville, Texas, started with forty-nine members.

Sixty candidates entered the ranks of Columbianism last Sunday at Winamac, Ind.

Syracuse Council has donated to the parochial schools of that city the historical works of Rev. A. Guggenberger, S. J.

In the club house to be erected by the Knights of Waterworld will be a ball room 53x50 feet, the second largest in the city.

Denver Knights have a strong baseball team. Their star pitcher, John King, has been signed by the Philadelphia Athletics.

A special over the Rock Island from Chicago to the Colorado Springs convention will carry the Knights from this and surrounding States.

The Providence Visitor says the unprecedented demonstration at Washington was too much for the Guardians of Liberty, and in Rhode Island not a word has been heard from them since.

The Hibernians of Portland, Ore., will play the Knights of Columbus ball team at the Hibernian picnic for the Holy Cross Institute.

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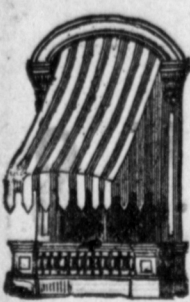
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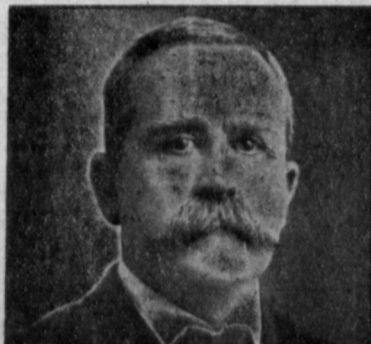
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HIBERNIANS.

What They Have Been Doing
the Past Week—General
News Notes.

Division 4 will meet Monday evening.

Not until after the national and State convention will anything new be undertaken by the local divisions. All the members are glad to see Thomas Lawler back in harness again, as he is a valuable worker for the order.

Among the important measures for consideration by the Chicago convention will be a national insurance feature.

For attendance at meetings of Division 2 at Syracuse a pair of gold cuff buttons were drawn by Martin Duggan last week.

Massachusetts divisions have subscribed over \$600 for the memorial to be erected at Cohasset for victims of the brig St. John.

President James Regan and other members of the National Board will be here as delegates to the Catholic Federation convention.

County Financial Secretary Langan deserves great credit for his complete report of the finances of the County Board picnic.

Hampden county, Mass., increased the membership 365 last year, and today the value of real estate held by the divisions is \$100,000.

A high compliment paid the order lately was that of a lady, who stated that everyone always seemed at home at a Hibernian affair.

After electing eight new members at a recent meeting the Hibernians of Bayonne, N. J., donated \$100 to the Irish Parliamentary fund.

The demand for another reunion grows stronger each week, and a formal request will be presented at the next County Board meeting.

Chairman Tom Quinn and his associates lose no opportunity to boost the Hibernian Social Club moonlight excursion on the Ohio river on July 29.

A repetition of the recent picnic in honor of the delegates to the State convention will be discussed at the next meeting of the County Board.

The New York State delegation to the national convention will meet in Buffalo July 13, when they will leave in a special over the Wabash for Chicago.

Every Hibernian in the Falls City owes it to the Ancient Order to help make the proper showing when the Federation parade takes place next month.

Division 3 has none on the sick list now. This means another increase in the strong box, which is carefully guarded by John Hession and Dan Dougherty.

County President Dolan will visit the New Albany and Jeffersonville divisions this month and invite them to march with the Louisville divisions in the Federation parade.

Patrick T. Mullen, always welcome, and Thomas Bench and Martin Sheehan addressed the meeting of Division 3 Monday night and aroused much enthusiasm.

Mrs. John Arthur, State President of the Indiana Ladies' Auxiliary, has been visiting New Albany and Jeffersonville for the purpose of organizing divisions in both cities.

Pueblo Hibernians are working hard for the Colorado Springs convention and are determined to bring home one of the highest offices. This division has greatly increased its membership this year.

Though they are not making public their plans, the Kentucky Irish American knows the Ladies' Auxiliary will present one of the surprises in the great Catholic demonstration here next month.

While lively contests for the various national offices seem assured, the probabilities are that National President Regan, the first Western executive the order has ever had, will be elected for a second term.

Division 4 meets Monday at Bertrand Hall, when the officers look for a large attendance. This will be the first meeting of the new fiscal year, and therefore the business will be of more than usual interest.

Not in many years have the candidates for State offices in New York been as numerous and aggressive as this year, and therefore some lively contests are likely to follow the opening of the State convention at Watertown.

A keen and lively canvass for votes for the office of National Secretary is now being carried on the candidates being James T. McGinnis, of Scranton, the present incumbent, and Patrick P. Cannon, former State Secretary of Massachusetts.

Syracuse Hibernians expect many prominent members of the order will stop there awhile on their way to Chicago on July 11 to attend their annual gathering, which they hope to make the largest ever assembled on a like occasion in Central New York.

PICTURES OF IRELAND.

The Kentucky Irish American has received from M. Creedon, 4343 Cottage Grove, Chicago, Ill., samples of his genuine photographic views of Ireland, which are pictures of merit and worthy a place in every home. Nothing like them has ever been offered in this country. They represent every city, town and parish, and at the reasonable price offered should have an immense sale. For further information see advertisement elsewhere.

MONTH OF JULY.

July in the old Roman calendar was called Quintilis, or the fifth month, and had thirty-six days. Romulus changed the number to thirty-one, and Numa reduced it to thirty days. It so remained till the time of Julius Caesar, who commemorated the fact of its being his native month by restoring it to thirty-one days. After Caesar's death Marc Anthony changed the name of the month to July in honor of the family name of Caesar, to whom he had been devotedly attached.

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tached. The historians say "he selected the months for such honorary distinction when the sun was generally most potent, the more effectually to denote that Julius was the Emperor of the world, and therefore the appropriate leader of one-half of the year." During the month of July the church has established special devotions to the Precious Blood of our Divine Redeemer, which are held in all the churches throughout the world.

CORN CHOWDER.

Chop one medium sized onion coarsely into a pint of cold water. Set over the fire and boil fifteen minutes. Then add a medium sized potato cut into cubes and a cupful of sweet corn. Salt and pepper to taste. Pour in one cupful of good meat stock—mutton or lamb preferred—and cook until the vegetables are tender. Just before removing from the fire add a pint of milk. Heat almost to the boiling point, but not quite, and serve. If meat stock be not convenient a tablespoonful of butter may be substituted. This must go in when the milk is added.

Entire dresses of taffeta with sprig patterns have made their appearance and have been corded and ruched with pale steel matching a particular color in the design.

Sleeves are seen which reach almost to the knuckles. They are cut bell shaped, though otherwise tight from the elbow. No ruffles or edged trimmings adorn them.

IRELAND.

Record of the Most Important of
the Recent Events Culled
From Exchanges.

D. J. McMahon has been unanimously elected Town Surveyor by the Listowel Urban Council.

J. H. Mitchell was elected by the Tyrone County Council Assistant Surveyor in Castleterragh district.

At a meeting of the Kilrush County Council Michael Mescal was unanimously re-elected Chairman.

Twenty-two cases of scarlet fever were reported to Galway Board of Guardians as having occurred during the week.

John Carson, a young Kilkenny farmer, died as a result of injuries received by stabbing at Ballygerda, near Thomastown.

An inquest was held at Letterard, Connemara, on the body of Patrick Cameely. A verdict of "found drowned" was returned.

There being no criminal cases at Macroom Quarter Sessions, Judge Bird, K. C., was presented by the Sub-Sheriff with white gloves.

Michael Cody, of St. Mullins, six miles from New Ross, was robbed of \$125, which was taken from a box during his absence from home.

James Fogarty, who has passed away at Thurles, had attained the age of 102 years. Fogarty was in excellent health up to a couple of months ago.

The death occurred in the Presentation Convent, Maryborough, of Sister M. Augustine Doran, daughter of the late Thomas Doran, of Dublin, at the age of seventy-four.

The death, at the age of seventy-seven, has occurred at Carrick-on-Suir of James Mullins, Clerk of the local union, a position which he filled for forty-five years.

A singularly tragic incident took place at a wake in Ballyclare, where Agnes McMordie, aged about fifty, was sitting talking with some people, when she suddenly fell back in an apoplectic fit.

At the meeting of the Newry National Teachers' Association a resolution was passed in favor of the establishment of a summer Gaelic school at Omagh, and a similar resolution has been passed in Dundalk.

At Mullingar Petty Sessions the District Council summoned Lord Greveling under the public act, to compel him to put the Fair Green in the town in a sanitary condition and to carry out certain improvements.

Very Rev. Denis Flynn, President of St. Finian's College, Mullingar, has been appointed parish priest of St. Mary's, Drogheda, in succession to the late Very Rev. John Curry. For a number of years Father Flynn was administrator at Navan.

The death took place recently at his residence at Tighmon of Patrick Ryan, in his seventy-seventh year. He had long been identified with the public and political life of County Westford, and was highly esteemed for his straightforwardness, integrity and patriotism.

At a special court at Gort, M. Shaughnessy, F. Burke, John Nilan, Henry Nilan, Frank Hartigan, Bartly Murray, John Howard, John Connors, Sr., and John Connors, Jr., were returned for trial on bail to Galway Assizes for the alleged intimidation of Patrick Kelly, of Kilkentemple.

The Bishop of Meath has decreed that the parish of St. Mary's, Drogheda, will include the whole of Laytown village. The parish of St. Mullin, which has hitherto included Laytown, has had added to it the townlands of Shalton and Balgeen, hitherto in St. Mary's parish.

Largely through the instrumentality of P. J. Bigger, of Belfast, a new motor boat has been provided for service between Rathlin Island and the mainland, the previous boat having been wrecked in a storm last October. The boat was christened and blessed by Rev. Father McKinley.

In the trial of Joseph and John Conroy, residing near Straide, County Mayo, who were indicted before Justice Boyd and a Dublin common jury for alleged conspiracy, there was a disagreement and the traversers were bound over in their own recognizances to come up for trial on receiving ten days' notice.

SUNDAY OUTING.

Meyer's Grove on Silver Creek was the scene last Sunday of a most enjoyable "young folks' outing." First attending church, the young people met and were chaperoned by Messdames Jane Cusick and Buckles. Following a sumptuous dinner there was a varied programme of amusements, in which all participated. Those who composed the party were Misses Mary Cusick, Kathryn Schaefer, Lillian Schaefer, Mary Liden, Mayme Hoertz, Anna Gibbons, Rose Dinken, Alvin Archer, Blanche Sigmier, Louise Xenkemper, Mattie Wills, Mayme McGill, Margaret Sigmier, Florence Walters, Francis Haysley, Mary Greuser, Maud Wells, Hazel Weber, Willetta Kaelin, Francis Humphrey, Rose Felthoelter, Evelyn Murphy, Mary Boyce, Mayme Bohn, Stella Cronin, Marie Buckles; Messrs. Krissell Moeller, Thomas Gilligan, John Greuser, Joseph Higgins, Gus Hoertz, Shirley Cuniffe, Bud Cusick, Michael Healey, Joseph Butler, John Healey, Joseph Schuman, Al Habich, Harry Sigmier, Charles Manion, Fred Farrelly, John Hourigan, George Gillan, Willard Preece, Emmett Cusick, Leo McGuire, Bridie, James Peyton, John Burke, William Fastwenger, Fred Wells, Albert Krieger, Will Durkin, Charles Pretty, Andrew Whitehouse, William McGrath and Charles McKune.

LAWN FETE.

All arrangements have been completed for the lawn fete which will be given under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Sodality of St. John's church next Thursday on the lawn of Mrs. Laura Leverone, Barret avenue and Breckinridge street, afternoon and evening. Euchre and lotto will be played, for which handsome prizes will be awarded, and in addition all kinds of refreshments will be served.

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Trinity Council, Y. M. I., showed its appreciation of an earnest worker Monday night by electing to the second highest office J. R. Muhs, who was installed as First Vice President. The Membership Committee announced that arrangements had been completed for a musicale at the club house on Tuesday, July 16, for the members and their friends, at which a number of prominent local singers will render solos. A special committee reported an excursion to Owensboro on Sunday, August 4, when the Grand Council meets there, a rate of \$1.50 having been secured for the round trip. The Picnic Committee reported that every preparation had been made for the entertainment of a great crowd of people at the picnic next Wednesday at Fern Grove.

INDUCEMENT.

For Catholic Knights Who
Work For Their
Order.

Owing to the successful financial management and increased membership during the past six months, the Supreme Council of the Catholic Knights of America have extended the period for which there will be no charge for medical examinations until the end of this year. Under the administration of Supreme President Felix Gaudin and the present officers the Catholic Knights are making rapid strides forward and the per capita reserve, now the largest of any fraternal insurance society, has attained proportions that are surprising even the country's greatest financiers. Encouraged by the results thus far this year premiums for the institution of new branches are offered as follows: Branch of twelve members, \$40; fifteen members, \$60; twenty members, \$100. Premiums will also be paid any who secure quarter, half or full rate members for their branches. This is certainly an inducement for Catholic Knights to add to their strength and numbers.

QUANDARY

Confronts County Council
and Bachelors of West-
meath.

The Dunshaughlin District Council is in a quandary about a problem that concerns the loveless condition of the colleges of County Meath. Three months ago Miss Bridget Brannigan, a fair local girl, wrote to the council complaining that she and others of her sex would have to emigrate owing to the non-marrying habits of the local bachelors. This emigration matter is a sore point in Meath, and it was pointed out that the council had seventy male tenants who were unmarried. So an order was promptly issued that if these bachelors did not marry by the middle of June they would be turned out. Today the situation is that only a few have obeyed; the rest refuse to recognize any outside authority on such a matter. Several have shown they are over fifty years old and maintaining aged relatives on earnings that total no more than \$3 a week. In the face of this Ireland is watching with keen interest to see whether the District Council will admit its defeat or proceed to evict the tenants. Meanwhile offers of marriage from Irishmen all over the world have reached Miss Bridget Brannigan in consequence of the publicity given to her original complaint to the council. She declares she will "buy no pig in a poke," however, but will emigrate and remain single till she knows well the man with whom she will mate.

CATHOLIC BASEBALL LEAGUE.

The breaking even of the two leaders, St. Charles and St. William, in the Catholic Baseball League last Sunday served to increase interest in the pretty race in that league, both games being won by a score of 2 to 0. Holy Cross and St. Louis Bertrand improved their standing by winning double headers. At Shawnee Park tomorrow St. Charles will meet St. Anthony's. Holy Cross will meet St. Brigid, St. Martin's will meet Holy Trinity and St. William and St. Louis Bertrand will try conclusions at Spring Bank Park. Following is the standing to date:

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
St. Charles	3	1	.900
St. William	3	1	.900
Holy Trinity	5	4	.555
Holy Cross	5	5	.500
St. Anthony	4	5	.445
St. Louis Bertrand	4	6	.400
St. Brigid	3	7	.300
St. Martin	1	9	.100

MACKIN COUNCIL SUNSET.

With the fine bill of vaudeville and music Mackin Council Social Club expects to make the hit of a lifetime with their sunset excursion up the river this evening. The club promises all who attend, both young and old, that they will be entertained as never before. First-class vaudeville numbers will be rendered by the three Davis sisters, Misses Lorena, Margaret and Regina; the M'oses Robert and Lee, Dolly Dimples, Miss Gladys Reigel and Master Allen Bruckert, and Prof. Tuell's orchestra will furnish the dance music. A part of the boat will be reserved, where refreshments of all kinds will be served. For the past two weeks Dr. J. A. Casper, William Rihn, Joseph Buffehr, E. B. Dillon and William End have been working to the end that this sunset excursion will surpass all other affairs of Mackin Council. The boat will leave the foot of First street at 5:30 o'clock.

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ATTRACTIONS AT RIVERVIEW.
Attractive features are on the calendar for next week at Riverview Park, when in the theater one of the best bills of the season will be presented. Out in the park there will be big attractions, and Don Phillipini and his famous Italian band will render fourteen different programmes throughout the week, which will be interpolated with many favorite selections at the afternoon and evening concerts. Miss Susanne Lehmann will appear at the concert, and all will find in the amusements Col. Simons will offer something satisfactory.

AUXILIARY

Organized by Knights of
St. John at Outing
Sunday.

Last Sunday at Spring Bank Park a promising Ladies' Auxiliary to the Peace and Harmony Club was organized with a charter membership of forty-three at a happy outing given by Commanderies 63, 130 and 175 of the Knights of St. John. About 500 persons were present and enjoyed the athletic features and the exhibition drills by the three commanderies. Following the sumptuous dinner the feature was a baseball game, which was umpired by Mrs. Joseph P. Breen. Col. J. P. Breen, Major Fox and Capt. Kemper were honor guests and addressed the gathering, the former on the Toronto convention and the latter on the Ladies' Auxiliary. Velth's orchestra rendered an excellent musical programme and before adjourning resolutions were adopted thanking Col. Whallen for the use of his grounds. The Knights of St. John propose to make a feature of these reunion outings and will therefore hold another in September.

ENCROACHMENT.

Rome Appears to Have
Captured the Base-
ball Kings.

It might be well worth the while of the Guardians of Liberty to look into the composition of the baseball industry in this country. It seems just possible that the Pope of Rome may be reaching out through that medium for the subjugation of the unsuspecting people of this republic. At any rate, here is a little item of news in this connection calculated to arouse the apprehension of patriots of the G. of L. brand. We clip the same from an Eastern exchange:

"Many of the top-notchers in professional baseball are devout Catholics. They do not drink, they do not swear, and better than all else many of them receive communion every Sunday."

Taken in conjunction with the presentation to Cardinal O'Connell, of Boston, of a solid gold pass to the games of the great national leagues, the invasion of the baseball profession by Catholics of such eminent piety can not be regarded by true Guardians as a matter of trifling significance. Who are the great popular idols of today in the United States? Not our poets, artists, statesmen; not our distinguished philanthropists, political chieftains or captains of industry. Not on your life! They are none other than the heroes of the diamond. It is easy therefore to understand the tremendous advantage that should accrue to Rome by cornering the "top-notchers" in professional baseball. With the national game in the hands of devout Catholics, almost anything else of sinister purport to the destinies of the republic becomes possible.—Sacramento Herald.

IRISH MINES.

Another Trial and Rejoic-
ing Among Copper
Workers.

The famous Bonmahon copper mines in County Waterford are to undergo at least another trial before being regarded as among the devoted Irish industries. John D. Ryan, the American "copper king," is at present in Ireland with an expert mining engineer, exploring the territory around Bonmahon, and the discoveries he has made have led him to head a new syndicate having for its main object the resuscitation of the old mines and a further extension of workings with a view to finding additional seams of copper ore. These mines have had a rather lively career. For the last fifty years or more various attempts have been made to render them a paying concern, but as regularly as men are set to work circumstances have arisen to crush the hopes of the promoters. Lack of capital appears to have been the chief obstacle. About five years ago a number of enthusiastic industrial revivalists took them in hand, but quickly discovered that the capital they had invested was not sufficient to buy coal to produce the necessary motive power, the result being that the exploitation of the mines was abandoned. The effort now under the control of Mr. Ryan is more hopeful, and there is much rejoicing among the Bonmahon workers.

LAST GAME TOMORROW.

The Louisville club will close its season with Columbus with games today and tomorrow, the latter being the last on local grounds until Monday, July 29, the team leaving on a long trip, going from here to Milwaukee, thence to Kansas City, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Indianapolis in turn. The team has had a long stretch of hard games, the game tomorrow being the seventeenth between them and either Toledo or Columbus, the two leaders, who earned every game they won, not a one-sided score being recorded, except that of Tuesday's, and luck was a prominent figure in that game. Due thanks should be given Manager Hayden for the snappy article of ball the Colonels are now putting up, and with the acquisition of a second baseman, expected daily, the Colonels should improve their standing and get further away from the cellar position, even if the sporting writer on the Courier-Journal won't concede them out of it now.

WELFARE OF SOLDIERS.

Rev. John Murphy, assistant pastor of St. Anthony's church, Des Moines, Iowa, will celebrate mass every Sunday in the chapel at Fort Des Moines. There are nearly three hundred Catholic soldiers, including the cavalry, at this fort.

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